West Midlands Headteacher Board Meeting

Agenda for HTB meeting on 16th May 2019

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Items for discussion in this meeting

Birmingham

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Birmingham

Significant change

1.1 - Whether to approve the closure of the VI form at City Academy, part of Core Education Trust

Sub-region: South
(Solihull, Coventry, Herefordshire, Warwickshire & Worcestershire)

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Warwickshire

Significant change

2.1 - Whether to approve expansion of pupil places for Central England Academies Trust

2.2 - Whether to extend the age range for Quest Academy

Sponsor Options

2.3 - To discuss appropriate Sponsors for Lillington Primary School
# Items for discussion in this meeting

## Worcestershire

### Sub-region: North
(Stoke, Staffordshire, Cheshire East and West)

**Item(s): 7**

**Staffordshire**

*Converter: Academy Order*

3.1 - Whether to issue an Academy Order to Edge Hill Junior School to become an academy and join Fiertie Multi Academy Trust

3.2 - Whether to issue an Academy Order to St Leonard’s First School to become an academy and join Staffordshire University Academies Trust

3.3 - Whether to issue an Academy Order to St Paul’s CofE First School to become an academy and join Staffordshire University Academies Trust

3.4 - Whether to issue an Academy Order to Church Eaton Endowed (VA) Primary School to become an academy and join Staffordshire University Academies Trust

**Cheshire West and Chester**

*Converter: Academy Order*

3.5 - Whether to issue an Academy Order to The County High School Leftwich to become an academy and join The Sir John Brunner Foundation

**Cheshire East**

*Academy Transfer*

3.6 - Whether to approve the transfer of Eaton Bank Academy to Fallibroome Multi Academy Trust

*See Annex 2*

**Stoke-on-Trent**

*Academy Transfer*

3.7 - Whether to approve the transfer of Eaton Park Academy to Alpha Academies Trust

*See Annex 1*

## Sub-region: Central
(Dudley, Walsall, Wolverhampton, Sandwell, Telford & Wrekin, Shropshire)

**Item(s): 1**

**Dudley**

**Sponsor options**

4.1 – To discuss appropriate Sponsor options for Ham Dingle Primary School
Next meeting: Thursday 13th June 2019

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Please note that this is a draft agenda and is therefore subject to change up until the date of this meeting.
Academy Transfer of Eaton Park Academy to Alpha Academies Trust

Following detailed consideration, the Regional Schools Commissioner (RSC) for the West Midlands, Andrew Warren, has agreed that Eaton Park Academy should transfer to another trust. This is a voluntary transfer that Eaton Park Academy has voted in favour of. Alpha Academies Trust has been provisionally identified as the most suitable trust to manage the school going forward.

Your views are an important part of the decision-making process. To ensure this is the best decision for the academy, and before making a final decision, we want to gather the views of those associated with the school’s community. The head teacher board (HTB) provide advice and challenge on transfers. Your views will be considered by the West Midlands HTB meeting on Thursday 9 May 2019, after which the RSC will make a final decision as to whether Alpha Academies Trust is the right trust to transfer the academy to.

You can get involved by:

Responding to the following questions via email:

a. What is your relationship to the school?

b. The current proposal is for Eaton Park Academy to be transferred to Alpha Academies Trust. What are your views on that option? Do you have any alternative proposals for the future of the school which you think should be considered?

c. Are there any further comments/suggestions you would like to make regarding the school’s future?

Please email your responses to WMRSC CONSULTATION@education.gov.uk. The deadline for responses is Thursday 9 May 2019.

We will not usually provide individual responses to representations received. Following the HTB’s consideration, a summary of discussion and decision will be published in the HTB minutes at the following link: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/west-midlands-headteacher-board
Annex 2

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